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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Pastor
4 August Minor of Chicago, who passed away on February 17, 2014;
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6 WHEREAS, Pastor Minor was born on June 18, 1929; he
7 graduated from high school in New Orleans, Louisiana; he
8 received his Associates of Art Degree from Crane Junior College
9 and studied Theology at Moody Bible Institute; and

10 WHEREAS, Pastor Minor was called into the ministry in 1961;
11 he joined the Union Hill Missionary Baptist Church in 1964 and
12 was ordained in 1966; in the spring of 1966, he was elected to
13 serve as pastor of the Union Hill Congregation and served there
14 as pastor for 47 years; and

15 WHEREAS, Pastor Minor's leadership saw Union Hill
16 Missionary Baptist Church grow its membership, furnish hot
17 meals for those in need, and provide scholarship opportunities
18 for students to continue their pursuit of a higher education;
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20 WHEREAS, Pastor Minor had a steadfast commitment to
21 uplifting lives and serving the needs of families and

1 individuals throughout the community; and

2 WHEREAS, Pastor Minor was married to the late Lucile Davis
3 Minor, and they had 3 children, Timothy, Deloris, and Nina;
4 therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
6 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
7 we mourn the passing of Pastor August Minor, and extend our
8 sincere condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew
9 and loved him; and be it further

10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
11 presented to the family of Pastor August Minor as an expression
12 of our deepest sympathy.